May 19, 1975

PRESIDENT: Motion carries we shall consider 216.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: I have an amendment on the desk Mr. Chairman.

CLERK: Several people do. Clerk read LB216.

PRESIDENT: Seantor F. Lewis.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Mr. Chairman I would ask that my amendment be taken up first because it deals specifically with the committee amendments. My amendment is handed to you and dated May 16, 1975, Mr. Clerk. This relates to that.

CLERK: Then there is an amendment offerred by Senator Frank Lewis.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Let me explain what it does Mr. Clerk. The amendment strikes the committee amendments lines 3-17 and it hereby appropriates the following amounts for a period of July 1, 1975 to June 30, 1976, the agency number 83 the Nebraska Coordinating Commission for Technical Community College \$12,000 and aid to Technical Community College \$12,000 and aid to Technical Community College \$11,600 the total appropriation \$11,612, for Vocational Education which would be the fire service and EMT training \$262,000. Mr. Chairman this is the appropriation for the Community Technical Schools. I would move the amendment.

PRESIDENT: Senator Barnett.

SENATOR BARNETT: Mr. President, I'm trying too.... I guess that we could always come back to this amendment if it was adopted. The fiscal staff is working on an amendment right now and I was going to try and stall for a little bit of time, but I won't do that. If we can come back and amend this I will refer to it later, but I was going to try and amend it before you adopted it. It was to transfer the Fire Service Trainning personnel into the Fire Marshall's office. This has been agreed upon by the fire trainning field, the Fire Marshall's office and the Governors office and some of the people in this area have questioned, I can hear Senator Marvel in the background doing some hollering and he will probably have a question or two. The reason that they changed it and the reason that they left it there because of being there two or three years ago was the deterioration that was happening to the Fire Marshall's office and they asked to be removed. Now they are asking to go back. That is exactly what my amendment does to Senator Frank Lewis amendment on 216. Eldon just called me from downstairs in the staff office and said that he was running copies of this amendment and would have it up here shortly. going to put that amendment up before the body.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion? Question is the adoption... Any clsoing Senator?